REMARKS

Reconsideration of the present application as amended is hereby requested. Applicants' prior Response was deemed non-compliant because the status of all the claims was not identified. Claims 1-41 were cancelled in a Preliminary Amendment filed with the present continuation application. The status of these claims as "cancelled" has been added to the listing of the claims, along with the "previously presented" claims 44 and 46, and the "currently amended" claims 42, 43, 45 and 47. Consequently, the noted non-compliance has been corrected with this submission.

In the originally filed Response, Applicants provided a Terminal Disclaimer and otherwise met all of the requirements for placing this application in condition for allowance. Action toward that end is requested.

Respectfully Submitted,

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